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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

REPORT NO.

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INFORMATION REPORT

CD NO.

COUNTRY Germany (Russian Zone)

DATE DISTR. 22 June 1950

SUBJECT **Production of Railroad Cars**
at Lindner, Ammendorf

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NO. OF ENCLS. 1* (1 photo)
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INFO.

**SUPPLEMENT TO
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1. The Lindner Railroad Car Plant, Bamendorf (a 92/ D 92), delivered two armored trains to Soviet Army Authorities on 12 September 1949.*

2. A monthly quota of 15 express train cars was set for the plant.

3. Source saw a number of blue sleeping cars on the assembly track of the plant on 8 December 1949. [redacted]

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4. On 10 January 1950 source saw other blue sleeping cars of the same type on the same track. [redacted]

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5. In addition to these large sleeping cars, the plant manufactures small railroad cars for the Soviet Union.**

6. Copy of a "dispatch report" of the Ammendorf Plant, and a **photo-graph** showing express train cars delivered, are forwarded.

Comment :

8 a. The production of armored trains was also reported by other sources. These other sources did not mention the Soviet Army as the recipient, but reported that the armored trains were delivered to the Soviet zone German People's Police.

** b. The production of sleeping cars and small railroad cars was also reported previously. It can be seen from the "dispatch report" of the Ammendorf Plant (see Annex 2) that 159 express train cars were delivered to the Soviet Union in about nine months in 1949. Thus, the monthly production quota of 15 express train cars (see para 2 of the report) was exceeded by three or four units. These express train cars have a hydraulic device which can convert them to the Russian wide gauge in a very short time.***

c. The reported plant is a Transmash Soviet Corporation Plant. The Russian inscription on the express train cars (as shown on the photograph) is to be noted.

1 Annex: 1 - photograph (forwarded to Army)

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	31.3.49	9	9
	20.4.49	10	19
	25.4.49	10	29
	29.4.49	10	39
	14.6.49	13	52
	19.7.49	14	66
	18.7.49	13	79
	11.8.49	15	94
	18.9.49	15	109
	12.10.49	15	124
	14.11.49	18	142
	7.12.49	17	159

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